

**State of Vermont  
Executive Department  
A Proclamation**

**WHEREAS,** the Fresh Air Fund provides free summer experiences in the country to more than 9,000 New York City children each summer; and

**WHEREAS,** the Fresh Air Fund allows city children to visit the homes of volunteer host families in 13 states from Virginia to Maine to Canada; and

**WHEREAS,** Vermont families have been participating in The Fresh Air Fund's Volunteer Host Family Program for over 130 years; and

**WHEREAS,** the Fresh Air Fund allows New York City children to enjoy Vermont backyards, parks, and wide open spaces; and

**WHEREAS,** the Fresh Air Fund is celebrating its 138th summer;

**NOW, THEREFORE,** I, Peter Shumlin, Governor, do hereby proclaim March 20, 2014 as

**FRESH AIR FUND DAY**

in Vermont and recognize the valuable summertime experiences offered by The Fresh Air Fund.



Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of Vermont on this 12 day of March, A.D. 2014

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "Peter Shumlin", written over a horizontal line.

Peter Shumlin  
Governor